

GUNNER'S DREAM COMES TRUE

Member of British Machine
Gun Company Has Vivid
Experience.

International News Service:
WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—With
potential fighting force of 5,000,000
men as a tangible result of our
adoption of universal military ser-
vice, a campaign has already been
launched for its continuation after
the war.

With regard to other nations at
war, little information has reached
here of the various military sys-
tems since the outbreak of hostili-
ties. A study of their pre-war sys-
tems is particularly interesting now,
however in view of the campaign
for military service.

In the majority of cases universal
service was confined before the war
to high school students. This ap-
plied to some extent in our own
country, where there are numerous
cadet corps among our educational
institutions.

In England the training was
strictly voluntary. However, Eng-
lish cadet corps and junior officers
training corps have done their bit
in the great emergency. In Aus-
tralia training was compulsory for
boys from 12 to 18; in New Zea-
land, for boys over 14. In Canada,
training was voluntary. In Australia
armies are still raised through vol-
unteer enlistment.

France prescribed physical drill
and elementary military training
for boys from nine to 13. Her army
is maintained through conscription.
Volunteer organizations existed in
Germany, where the army is raised
by conscription. Just before the
outbreak of war compulsory train-
ing for youths was revived. Dur-
ing the war boys over 16 have been
given preparatory military training
to speed their preparation for the
trenches. In practically every na-
tion some form of compulsory mil-
itary training is prescribed for school
boys. Most of these systems are
still in vogue.

With regard to a continuation of
universal military service after the
war, there is every indication that
strong efforts will be made in this
direction. In Germany, for in-
stance, strong organizations exist
whose activities appear to be based
on permanency. In France organ-
izations exist for the promotion of
military training. Similar associa-
tions are organized in this country.
In Japan, especially, military in-
struction has a firm position in the
Japanese school system and tradi-
tion.

Practically every country still has
military instruction in its schools,
ever since war has made such train-
ing a man-size job.

The question now, however, is
whether the plan will extend to in-
clude universal service for adults.
"After the war" is as yet a vague
period. Soldiers call it the "golden
age." Things may happen which
will change the whole aspect of the
matter. In Germany it is hardly
likely that the old Junker organiza-
tions will be able to continue when
peace reigns. In England it is com-
mon talk that the large numbers
of soldiers now fighting will have
had enough of military rigors, and
will desire to lead an easier life.
However, those things are for "af-
ter the war."

OVER \$93,000,000,000 SPENT ON WORLD WAR

International News Service:
WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—The
second Liberty loan of \$3,000,000,000
will be applied to the \$20,000,000,000
war bill of the United States to
June 30, 1918. This vast total of
American expenses, however, is only
one-fifth of the cost of the war to
the other belligerent governments.

The actual cost to date, based on
figures to the first of this year and
the daily rate of expenditure since
then, is \$93,814,875,000. This in-
cludes Uncle Sam's \$2,000,000,000
Liberty loan.

Great Britain has been the biggest
spender, with \$22,939,375,000 to her
credit. This does not include Can-
ada's \$645,700,000, nor the \$763,-
800,000 spent by Great Britain's
other colonies.

The other entente allies have
spent: France, \$15,114,000,000; Rus-
sia, \$12,656,000,000; Italy, \$5,911,-
000,000; Belgium, \$763,000,000;
Serbia, \$602,000,000 and Roumania,
\$796,000,000.

The central allies have spent
much less according to the figures
available. Germany's expenditures
are estimated at \$20,333,000,000;
Austria's, \$5,063,000,000; Turkey's,
\$1,925,000,000, and Bulgaria's, \$784,-
300,000.

CONTROVERSY OVER ESTATE OF PET

International News Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 2.—
A controversy over who shall re-
ceive money for the publication of
letters and other personal docu-
ments of James Whitcomb Riley,
the deceased "children's poet," has been
settled in probate court.

Edmund Eltel, a nephew and sec-
retary of the poet, had already con-
tracted with a magazine for the
publication of the letters and docu-
ments. Mrs. Mary R. Payne, a sis-
ter, took the matter to court, as-
serting the letters belonged to the
estate. By the settlement three-
fourths of the money received will
go to the estate and one-fourth to
Mr. Eltel.

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ECONOMY DEPARTMENTS

219-221 SO. MICHIGAN ST.

850 SUITS ON SALE

A mighty value-giving occasion to demonstrate with full impressiveness how much style, how much more value, how much better tailoring and how much cheaper you can buy at The Economy. Come and see. You will buy and save a great deal. Dozens of models making their first appearance. Broadcloths of every variety and hue—oxford gray velours, dressy twills, silvertones and soft woven serges. There were never so many beautiful becoming suit styles. From the long straight clinging style for the tall woman to the prettiest high collared, fur trimmed models for the young miss and all of them exquisitely lined in silk.



All Suits One-Half Price This Sale

\$75.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$37.50
\$60.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$30.00
\$50.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$25.00
\$45.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$22.50
\$40.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$20.00
\$37.50 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$18.75
\$30.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$15.00
\$25.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$12.50
\$20.00 Suits, \$20,000 Purchase Price	\$10.00

Do you want an exact reproduction of late Parisian importations—suits that are real exclusive and of which you will find only one of a kind? Do you want a suit that will be a real find and that will be a pleasure to you every time you wear it? If you do, see these suits. We will not attempt to describe them; we cannot, they are simply marvelous productions of the master designers of this period.

Of Chiffon Broadcloths, Serges, Silvertones, Oxford Cloths, Burellas, etc., in the new shades, such as London fog, beet root, reindeer, etc. Some handsome tailored models, some fur trimmed; in fact, whatever is new will be found here. Don't overlook this assortment of suits.

1150 DRESSES ON SALE



Dresses that dance with youth, that have "line," that are "different." Their success is a foregone conclusion—representing the flower of the season. Charming satin Afternoon Dresses, Trim Tailored Serge Dresses, Serge and Satin Combination Dresses, Georgette and Serge Combination Beautiful Evening Dresses, in fact, everything that you may consider good in style and material. Quaint effects are achieved by a little colored stitching, vivid bits of silk kept in "their place" by saucy surplice collars, youthful girdles, well defined sleeves, etc.

\$7.50 Serge and Satin Dresses, \$20,000 Purchase Price

Satin and Serge Dresses, made of splendid satin and tafeta silk in navy and black and colors. Several new and effective styles. Every dress well made and good looking. Real values up to \$7.50. Special sale

\$12.50 Serge and Satin Dresses, \$20,000 Purchase Price

Splendid serges and satins in navy and other shades. Entirely new effects. Straight line silhouettes, tunics, pleated and peg top models. Women's and misses' sizes. Real values, \$12.50. Special sale at

\$20 Serge and Satin Dresses, \$20,000 Purchase Price
Remarkable offer of entirely new dresses. Made of fine satin in black, navy, taupe and brown. Very dressy and effective. Women's and misses' sizes. Several new models. Real values \$20. Sale price

\$25 Serge and Satin Dresses, \$20,000 Purchase Price

About twenty-five different models of entirely new dresses. Made of serges, satins and silks, in black, navy, brown, taupe, beet root and other shades. Pleated, peg top, straight silhouette and tunic styles. Good looking dresses. Worth \$25. Special sale at
Hundreds of other dresses in all styles and colors. Every size; priced from \$5.00 to \$50.00.

2500 Blouses on Sale

\$2 Waists, \$20,000 Purchase

1,000 White Wash Waists in organdy, voiles, etc. 50 different styles; not one worth less than \$2.00. On sale at 2 for

75c

\$4 Crepe de Chine Waists, \$20,000 Purchase

The very latest of styles in beautiful crepe de chine, willow silks and other fall blouses are offered for your choice in this underpriced sale. Hundreds in the lot. Embracing scores of models in new shades; also flesh and white

\$1.98

\$6 Georgette Waists, \$20,000 Purchase

A selection of georgette waists in all the new colorings; all sizes, including stouts

\$2.98

\$10 Georgette Waists, \$20,000 Purchase

Hundreds of beautiful new arrivals. Satins, georgettes and satins and georgettes combined. Paris butterfly jabots; colorful bead trimmings, hand embroideries, odd French buttons; Byasdere tucks and frills. Fall costumes, colors, plaid effects and stripes

\$5.00

25 Additional Sales-
Women Added to Our
Regular Force. You
Will Be Waited On,
But Come Early.

Our \$20,000 Cash

Continues Saturday With Bigger
A Sale Unequaled in the Annals of

Coat, Suit, Dress, Skirt, Waist, Fur, Trimmed

The wonder event that the women of South Bend and vicinity have been longing for, point, you can buy a Coat, Suit, Dress, Skirt, Waist, Fur, trimmed or untrimmed Hat, Child, many instances more on every purchase you make.

Our buyer just arrived from New York where he succeeded in buying the complete stock. The manufacturers in need of the ready money and unable to secure it otherwise, had, able, our buyer turned the trick. He is now in possession of \$20,000 worth of brand new, tion of its actual worth. HIS DECREE WENT FORTH—"Do not try to make any extra benefit of this great buy. We will establish ourselves with the buying public as the one \$20,000 stock and you benefit by it. Buying your goods at one-half the price that you

Saturday Will be the Banner

Saturday
will be the
Banner
Day
of this Sale.




A Marvelous Upheaval

The envy and wonder of every other merchant in South Bend. Our tremendous cash South Bend can hope to equal in any way whatsoever. Goods bought at almost our own price.

THESE PRICES PREVAIL DURING

You can buy two or three hats for what you ordinarily would have to pay for one. Though inal creations of some of the best designers and manufacturers in the United States, such as Fish reserved. Scan these prices and bear in mind our limited space enables us to advertise only two or three at these marvelous prices.

 <p>\$5.00 to \$6.98 Trimmed Hats Your choice of 300 Trimmed Hats; no two alike \$2.95</p>	<p>Values to \$3.75 MODELS TRIMMED HATS 1,000 Trimmed Hats, two chins, hatters' plush, sailors and \$1.98</p>
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<p>Children's Hats Children's Hats, trimmed with ribbons, flowers and streamers; black, white and colors. 98c</p>	<p>200 TRIMMED HATS 200 of them—specially made up in our own workshop. TIES DAY EVENT. Made of beautiful quality velvet, small or medium shapes—black and all the favored wear with the new fall suits; also included in this offer, a special lot of 400 TAMER Trimmed with silk tassel and cord, elastic fit the head. 98c and 1</p>
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<p>Untrimmed Hats at Special Price Untrimmed Hats Regular values to \$2.75. In black and all good colors. All this season's newest styles. Shirred effects included in this lot, for only 98c</p>	<p>Silk Velvet Regular values to \$3.98. In tricornes, side roll effects and every good color. Also t nations. Special during this sale \$1.98</p>
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<p>Hatter's Plush Sailors Regular \$5.00 values. All the new banded effects in black, navy, brown, purple and taupe. Special for this sale. \$2.98</p>	<p>New Velour Trim Regular \$4.50 values. All the rage Chicago. All the new colors. Sale price</p>
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